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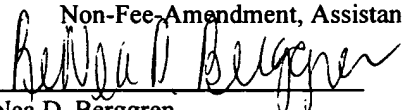
In re Application of : Willis L. Winstrom
Serial N° : 09/880,738
Filed : June 13, 2001
Group Art Unit : 1615
Examiner :
For : **PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR THE PREPARATION OF
CHLORTETRACYCLINE-CONTAINING ANIMAL FEED
COMPOSITIONS**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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ReNea D. Berggren

DATED: April 18, 2002

Dear Sir:

Please amend the application at page 2, first paragraph as follows:

a' The present application claims Priority as a Continuation-in-Part under 35 USC Section 119(e) to provisional U.S. application Nos. 60/213,424, filed June 22, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. POC-99-2-1P), and claims priority under 35 USC Section 120 to U.S. application Nos. 09/350,474 (Attorney Docket No. POC-99-1-1), filed July 9, 1999, and U.S. application Nos. 09/587,410 (Attorney Docket No. POC-99-2-1), filed June 5, 2000, and U.S. application Nos. 09/587,411 (Attorney Docket No. POC-99-3-1), filed June 5, 2000.